

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH



Raul Pino, M.D., M.P.H.
Commissioner

Ned Lamont
Governor
Susan Bysiewicz
Lt. Governor

Drinking Water Section

DWS Circular Letter #2019-06

TO: Community & Non-Transient Non-Community Public Water Systems

FROM: Lori Mathieu, Public Health Section Chief, Drinking Water Section

Handwritten signature of Lori Mathieu in blue ink.

DATE: February 19, 2019

RE: Lead Fact Sheet for Schools and Daycares and EPA's Updated 3Ts Reducing Lead in Drinking Water Toolkit

DPH Drinking Water Section Lead Fact Sheet for Schools and Daycares

Schools and child care facilities should take voluntary actions to reduce children's exposure to lead from drinking water by testing for lead in drinking water, distributing results to the school community, and by taking steps to reduce exposure to lead in drinking water.

The DPH Lead Fact Sheet for Schools and Daycares is available on the Drinking Water Section (DWS) website or click here: https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/Departments-and-Agencies/DPH/dph/drinking_water/pdf/PB-Fact-Sheet-for-Schools-and-Child-Care-Facilities.pdf

EPA's 3Ts Reducing Lead in Drinking Water Toolkit - **Training, Testing, and Taking Action** – was developed for schools, child care facilities, states, and water systems to help them implement a voluntary program for reducing lead in drinking water. It includes a training, testing, and taking action approach. For more information, refer to the EPA's 3Ts for Reducing Lead in Drinking Water Toolkit (Updated October 2018): <https://www.epa.gov/ground-water-and-drinking-water/3ts-reducing-lead-drinking-water-toolkit>

If you have any additional questions on the DPH DWS Lead Fact Sheet, please contact Carissa Madonna or Cindy Sek at (860) 509-7333.

cc: Debra Johnson
Towns
Local Health Directors
Certified Operators



Phone: (860) 509-7333 • Fax: (860) 509-7359
Telecommunications Relay Service 7-1-1
410 Capitol Avenue, P.O. Box 340308, MS#12DWS
Hartford, Connecticut 06134-0308

www.ct.gov/dph/publicdrinkingwater

Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer

